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MEMORANDUM

TO: Council, SSC and AP

FROM: Chris Oliver

Executive Director

DATE: April 30, 2013

SUBJECT: Items of Interest

Correspondence:

Letter to NOAA OLE regarding VMS access by State managers

Letter to CCC from NOAA regarding Policy Directive

Letter from US Department of Interior regarding Federal definition of Sport Fishing Guide Services

Letters regarding Chinook bycatch in non-pollock trawl fisheries

Response letter from NMFS to NRC regarding scientific research plan to conduct bottom trawl survey operations

<u>Letter to Co-chairs of National Ocean Council</u> from Doc Hastings regarding the implementation of the National Ocean Policy

National Ocean Policy Implementation Plan - April 2013

<u>ICES Journal of Science article</u> (Criddle) – Adaptation and maladaptation: factors that influence the resilience of four Alaskan fisheries governed by durable entitlements

<u>Marine Policy article</u> (Criddle/Strong) – Dysfunction by design: Consequences of limitations on transferability of catch shares in the Alaska pollock fishery